

## KILLED WHILE WORKING HALL BADGER GAME

Bill Wilson Stabbed by  
"Mrk" Lured to Him  
by Wife.

"STRONG ARM" FAILED.

Strang, Attacked in Dark  
Hall Hester Street Tenement, Used Knife.

An inquiry conducted by Coroner Harbinger today into the killing of "Billy" Wilson, a Bowery character, in a hallway at 124 Hester street, revealed that the man who lost his life in the attempt to work the badger game was killed by a stranger who was known in police circles as the "strong arm" badger game.

Wilson, who was a man who had been lured to the hallway by his wife, Emma, but the stranger was wary and Wilson was fatally stabbed. There is no clue as to the identity of the murderer.

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Complain that They Have to Work  
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The piano movers are all men of music, and are expected to make things interesting if the piano men attempt to put strike-breakers to work. Several concerts are scheduled for tonight beside the regular Harlem trade, and the movers expect that the bosses will have to give in. The men figure out that it takes six ordinary men to do the work of three union piano movers.

OVERCOME IN BATHROOM.

Woman Found Unconscious from  
Gas Leaking Out of Pipe.

On a charge of attempting suicide Mrs. Lottie Rosenberg, twenty-nine years old, of No. 123 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, is at the Haver Hospital a prisoner, although the husband of the woman and other persons in the house say her plight is due to an accident.

Mrs. Rosenberg lives with her husband and two children in a furnished room. Last night she went to the bathroom. Mrs. Della Cahill found Mrs. Rosenberg unconscious on the floor. A leak was discovered in a gas pipe leading to a radiator.

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## NO ARREST FOR AUTO CUP RACE KILLING

Unless a demand is made upon him by the District Attorney of Nassau County, Elliott J. Shepard will not be arrested for running down and killing Curt L. Krumer while racing for the Vanderbilt Cup. Mr. Shepard says that if he is wanted he has only one request, which is, that no officer be sent for him, but that he be notified that he is wanted.

While spectators agree that Mr. Shepard could not prevent the accident unless he turned his machine into the crowd by the roadside, there is much feeling over the killing, especially in Passaic, N. J., where Krumer lived with his wife and children.

After the killing his body, covered with a blanket, was allowed to remain in a field near the road for the remainder of the day. This the Passaic people denounce. In explanation, it is said the roadways were so crowded it was impossible to remove the body until late in the day. It is intimated that the widow and children of the killed man will be provided for.

The People's Protective Association of Nassau County, which was formed to protest against the use of the roads for the cup race, says the killing unfortunately sustains the position taken by the association, that the race could not be held without fatalities.

The chances are that the race never will be held in America again. The winning of the cup three consecutive times by the representatives of the Automobile Club of France gives to that association the designation of the course over which the competition shall be held next year.

A feature of the auto race was the capture of pickpockets at the course. Detectives in the employ of the Cup Commission rounded up an even hundred as they arrived at the grand stand. They were all placed in a cottage near the grand stand and when the race was over were herded to the Westbury railroad station and told to "beat it."

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## LOST HIS FORTUNE, TURNED BURGLAR

Elliott Costall, charged with attempted burglary at the home of Frederick Whitcomb, No. 22 Meadow lane, New Rochelle, said today that loss of a large fortune had made him desperate and driven him to robbery.

While the man talked he looked through the bars of a cell in New Rochelle jail.

"This is my first criminal act," he added.

Costall told the same story when arraigned before the Magistrate, and he told it so well that the Court was inclined to believe him until Costall was identified as a former driver for a local baker, and his revolver as having been stolen from the home of Col. Richard Molneux, of No. 68 Liberty avenue.

The police say the burglar became familiar with the houses he robbed while delivering baker goods. He was held for trial.

Policeman Gooding, of New Rochelle, found Costall in the Whitehead home Saturday night, and in a desperate fight in the darkness he and his prisoner rolled down a flight of stairs, through a wide hallway, across a porch and out upon the lawn.

The Whitcomb family is still in the Berkshire Hills, and the policeman, knowing the house was in charge of two maids, decided to investigate when he saw a light flickering about. On the second floor the burglar made a rush in an effort to throw him down the stairs. The policeman, armed with the man and, fighting every inch of the way, the two rolled and fell to the hall, where the burglar attempted to shoot the policeman. The revolver missed and the fight was continued.

The maids, aroused by the struggle, screamed for help, but no one came. The policeman finally landed on the ground and when the race was over the prisoner began talking of former riches.

## KILLED NEGRO WHO ATTACKED DAUGHTER.

Kentuckian Ran Down Assailant and  
Shot Him to Death—Third  
Case in Two Months.

PADUCAH, Ky., Oct. 8.—Ben Jones, a young negro, was shot to death yesterday near Vicksburg, Livingston County, by John Scott, a farmer, of that section. Jones brutally assaulted a young daughter of Scott and was run down by the father and killed.

Scott is not likely to be arrested, as the sympathy of the people is with him.

In the past two months two other negroes have been lynched in Livingston County for assaulting women. It is declared an illicit distillery in the locality is the principal cause of the crimes.

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Blankets and Quilts, Fourth floor, Fourth avenue, Stewart Building.

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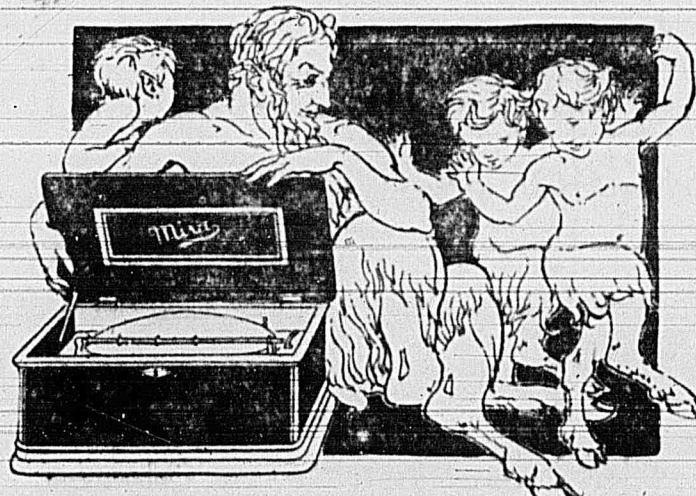
All pieces are hemstitched and made with a deep row of openwork. Ireland contributed the material—Japan gave it life—America will give these beautiful pieces a home. A variety of sizes and prices as follows:

18 x 18 in., at 45c, worth 65c. 18 x 45 in., at 80c, worth \$1.15.

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| <b>Value 75c</b><br><b>Black Broadcloth</b><br>In good, all-wool quality; double width; you'd consider this a rare value at 75c a yard; splendid for making up into suits or coats; a yard,<br><b>48c</b><br>(Main Floor)                      | <b>Value \$5</b><br><b>Silk Petticoats</b><br>They are good values at the regular price, \$5, so they're bound to go fast at Tuesday's big reduction; all new colors: blues, browns, grays and others; pretty styles.<br><b>\$3.85</b><br>(Second Floor)             | <b>Value \$2</b><br><b>Men's Sample Hats</b><br>Being samples, they represent a splendid variety of all the desirable new shapes in both soft and stiff hats; brown, black and pearl; they were made to sell up to \$2.<br><b>\$1.10</b><br>(Main Floor)     |
| <b>Value 15c</b><br><b>Children's Silk Bonnets</b><br>They're samples; that is the reason we offer them at Tuesday's low price; some are slightly soiled but not seriously; a choice of many pretty styles,<br><b>39c</b><br>(Second Floor)    | <b>Value 15c</b><br><b>Corset Covers</b><br>Not one worth less than 59c, the majority are 69c and 75c values; made of fine quality of nainsook and elaborately trimmed on neck and sleeves with lace and insertion.<br><b>39c</b><br>(Second Floor)                  | <b>Value \$1.25</b><br><b>Nottingham Curtains</b><br>No old, soiled or wrinkled curtains in this lot; all are fresh, new goods; in full width and full length; very good quality at the regular price; Tuesday, a pair,<br><b>95c</b><br>(Third Floor)       |
| <b>Value \$4</b><br><b>Children's Coats</b><br>2 to 5 years. We have made a special effort to make this sale interesting, picking up odd lots here and there representing every popular material and color.<br><b>\$2.98</b><br>(Second Floor) | <b>Value 85c</b><br><b>Silk Taffeta</b><br>Very heavy quality of all-silk; 27 inches wide; changeable; in red and black, navy blue and black, brown and black, green and black and other desirable combinations; a yard,<br><b>44c</b><br>(Main Floor)               | <b>Value 35c</b><br><b>Boneless Sardines</b><br>This is Bezier's famous Yacht Club brand; and the finest quality imported from France; we regularly sell this at 35c a can; Tuesday's price, each,<br><b>29c</b><br>(Fourth Floor)                           |
| <b>Value \$1</b><br><b>Dressing Sacques</b><br>These comprise a special purchase of excellent garments; sizes 34 to 44; a large variety of desirable patterns; all are rare values at<br><b>49c</b><br>(Second Floor)                          | <b>Value \$1.50</b><br><b>Clear Havana Cigars</b><br>100 in the box; all Havana cigars; full Rothschild size (1 1/2 inches); this quality absolutely cannot be duplicated elsewhere at this price; equals regular 10c brands.<br><b>\$4</b><br>(Main Floor)          | <b>Value 8c</b><br><b>Check Gingham</b><br>An excellent assortment of these in all the popular colorings; good quality; splendid opportunity to get the material for your kitchen aprons; Tuesday, a yard,<br><b>5c</b>                                      |
|  | <b>Value 55c</b><br><b>Griddle Cake Syrup</b><br>You can give your children plenty of this on their griddle cakes with no fear; it's guaranteed to be made of pure maple and refined granulated sugar; large bottle,<br><b>25c</b><br>(Fourth Floor)                 | <b>Value 75c</b><br><b>Chop Plates</b><br>Prettily decorated Austrian China; in full size; a beautiful assortment of dainty floral designs on tinted backgrounds; regularly from 50c to 75c; your choice Tuesday at<br><b>19c</b>                            |

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